

# Ah sweet, alas! when first I saw

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Soprano I

Soprano II

Alto

Tenor

Bass

8

Ah sweet, a- las! when first I saw those eyes, Ah sweet,

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Ah sweet, a- las! when first I saw those eyes, those Ah

Ah sweet, a- las!

Ah sweet,

S

A

T

B

8

eyes, ah sweet, a- las! when first I saw those eyes, when first

sweet, a- las! when first I saw those eyes, when first

ah sweet, a- las! when first I

ah sweet, a- las! a -

a- las! when first I saw those eyes,

10

15

S

A

T

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first I saw those eyes, those eyes, those eyes,

I saw those eyes, Those eyes so rich with cry-stal

saw those eyes, those eyes, Those eyes so

las! when first I saw those eyes, those eyes, Those eyes so rich,

those eyes, those eyes, Those eyes so rich with

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S Those eyes so rich with cry-stal ma- jes - ty,

A ma-jes - ty, those eyes so rich with cry-stal ma - jes - ty, Their

T rich with cry- stal ma- jes - ty, Their wound-ing

B 8 cry-stal ma- jes - ty, with cry-stal ma- jes - ty,

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S Their wound - ing beau - ty 'gan to ty - ran -

A wound - ing beau-ty, their wound-ing beau- ty 'gan to ty-

T 8 beau- ty, their wound- ing beau- ty 'gan

B Their wound - ing beau - ty 'gan to

40 45

S nise, 'gan to ty - ran - nise And made mine

A ran - nise, 'gan to ty - ran - nise

T 8 to ty - ran - nise And made mine eyes bleed

B ty - ran - nise, 'gan to ty - ran - nise

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S eyes bleed tears full pit - eous - ly, and made mine eyes

A And made mine eyes bleed

T tears full pit - eous - ly, full pit - eous - ly, and made mine

B 8 tears full pit - eous - ly, And made mine

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S bleed tears full pit - eous - ly: I felt the wound, yet

A tears full pit - eous - ly: I felt the wound, yet

T eyes bleed tears full pit - eous - ly: I felt the wound, yet

B 8 full pit - eous - ly, full pit - eous - ly: eyes bleed tears full pit - eous - ly:

65 70

S fear'd I not the deed, I felt the wound, yet fear'd I not the

A fear'd I not the deed, yet fear'd I not the deed,

T fear'd I not the deed, yet fear'd I not the deed, yet fear'd I not the

B 8 I felt the wound, yet fear'd I not the deed, yet fear'd I not the

I felt the wound, yet fear'd I not the deed, yet fear'd I not the

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S deed, Till ah! I found my tears \_\_\_\_\_ did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed,  
Till ah! I found my tears did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed, my tears did in-ward bleed, my

A deed, Till ah! I found my tears \_\_\_\_\_ did in-ward bleed,

T 8 deed, Till

B deed, Till ah! I

80 85

S did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed, till ah! I found my tears my tears did  
tears did \_\_\_\_\_ in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed, till ah! I found my tears

A till ah! I found my tears did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward

T 8 ah! I found my tears did \_\_\_\_\_ in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward \_\_\_\_\_ bleed, \_\_\_\_\_

B found my tears \_\_\_\_\_ did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed,

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S in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed, \_\_\_\_\_ did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed.  
did in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed, my \_\_\_\_\_ tears \_\_\_\_\_ did in - ward \_\_\_\_\_ bleed.

A bleed, till ah! I found my tears, I found my \_\_\_\_\_ tears \_\_\_\_\_ did in - ward bleed.

T 8 till ah! I found my tears did \_\_\_\_\_ in - ward bleed.

B till ah! I found my tears \_\_\_\_\_ did \_\_\_\_\_ in- \_\_\_\_\_ ward bleed.